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In re Patent Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT WITH A REWIRING
DEVICE AND CORRESPONDING
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicants respectfully request entry on this Preliminary Amendment for the above-captioned patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.